

Hard Floor Care Certification Test Key

1.	SDS stands for Safety Data Sheet. True False
2.	You should always dust mop floors before beginning advanced floor care
	procedures.
	True
	○ False
3.	It is not necessary to put wet floor signs at each entrance when damp
	mopping a floor.
	O True
	False
4.	When damp mopping with a microfiber system, select a blue or green mop
	pad for all purpose cleaning.
	True
	○ False
5.	You should always damp mop the floor before spraybuffing on using a mop
	restorer that gets polished after.
	True
	○ False
5.	Before starting high speed burnishing applications, make sure the floor is:
	Wet with neutral cleaner
	Clean & Completely dry
	Free of all floor finish
7.	Spray buff applications require a 175 rpm single disk machine and a red or

white pad.

	True
	○ False
8.	When spray buffing floors, you should proceed through areas in 3' by 3'
	sections.
	True
	○ False
9.	When working with floor finish restorer, start mopping at the furthest corner
	from the entrance and work your way out.
	True
	○ False
10.	You can use a low speed floor machine or autoscrubber with appropriate pad
	when top scrubbing a floor.
	TrueFalse
11.	It is necessary for floor finish to completely dry before applying the next coat True
	○ False
12.	It is not necessary to wear personal protective equipment when you are
12.	
	stripping the floor. True
	False
13.	Baseboard stripper should be applied to what areas of your workspace?
	Baseboards
	3 inches of the floors edge next to the baseboard
	All of the above
14.	Floor stripper solution should be applied sparingly to floors in order to save
	money.
	O True
	False
15.	When stripping a floor, you should allow the stripping solution to sit on the

	True
	○ False
16.	Choose the machine you would NOT use to pick up dirty solution after
	stripping a floor.
	○ Wet/Dry Vacuum
	O Autoscrubber
	High Speed Burnish Machine
17.	After stripping a floor, it is not necessary to rinse with water or a neutralizer
	solution.
	○ True
	False
18.	When applying finish, you should use the following pattern.
	 Start at the door and work your way through the room in a back and forth motion.
	Start at the furthest corner from the door and fill in small areas with a figure eight motion.
	Either pattern above is fine.
19.	You should apply multiple coats of floor finish to the floor before applying
	floor seal.
	○ True
	False
20.	After you finish your hard floor task, you should clean your equipment and
	store it in its proper place.
	True
	○ False

floor for 5 to 10 minutes before scrubbing.